Introduced by Assembly Member Strickland

February 23, 1999

An act to amend Section 1812.53 of the Civil Code, relating to dance studio lessons.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

AB 648, as introduced, Strickland. Dance studio lessons.

Existing law provides that a contract for dance studio lessons and other services, as specified, may not exceed a total sum of \$3,750.

This bill would revise these provisions by providing that a contract for dance studio lessons and other services, as specified, may not exceed a total sum of \$6,600.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: no. State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

- SECTION 1. Section 1812.53 of the Civil Code is 1
- amended to read:
- 1812.53. (a) No contract for dance studio lessons and
- 4 other services shall require payment by the person
- 5 receiving the lessons and other services or the use of the
- 6 facilities of a total amount in excess of three thousand
- seven hundred fifty dollars (\$3,750) six thousand six
- 8 *hundred dollars* (\$6,600).

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- 1 (b) No contract for dance studio lessons and other 2 services shall require payments or financing by the buyer 3 over a period in excess of two years from the date the 4 contract is entered into, nor shall the term of any —such 5 contract be measured by the life of the buyer. However, 6 the lessons and other services to be rendered to the buyer 7 under the contract may extend over a period not to 8 exceed seven years from the date the contract is entered 9 into.
- 10 (c) All contracts for dance studio lessons and other 11 services which that may be in effect between the same 12 seller and the same buyer, the terms of which overlap for 13 any period, shall be considered as one contract for the 14 purposes of this title.